In reference to the requirement of passing the code proficiency test for operation on the HF Bands. I strongly oppose the dropping of the code requirement, I and hopefully the FCC can see that the CB (Citizen Band) has become an embarrassment, anyone can see that the dropping of the license was the main reason for it's declined. If the code requirement is dropped I feel that the bad CB operators will become bad amateur operators. I feel that the only option for RM-10787 is the keeping of the code requirement as it is (5 WPM). This will insure that if anyone really wants to become a ham you will have to show some initiative and dedication.

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